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CTA Construction Work to Require Extended Lane Closure on the Northbound Dan Ryan near 95th Street

CHICAGO – Construction work as part of the CTA's 95th Street Terminal Improvement Project will require an extended closure of the left northbound lane on Interstate 57 and the Dan Ryan Expressway, between Halsted Street and 95th Street, beginning, weather permitting, as soon as March 18.

The lane closure, which was also in effect in fall 2016, is required as CTA continues efforts to expand the 95th/Dan Ryan red Line rail station and bus terminal.

The closure of the left northbound lane will be in effect until approximately fall 2017, dependent on weather. The lane closure is adjacent to construction of the new 95th Street Terminal. beginning where Interstate 57 merges into the Dan Ryan, just north of 95th Street. The closure is required to complete construction on the new facility's foundations, as well as the construction of what will be two CTA terminal buildings – one north and one south of 95th Street – that will replace CTA's existing 95th Street bus and rail facility.

Motorists can expect delays and should allow extra time for trips through this area. Traffic monitoring devices and changeable message signs will be installed along northbound I-57 to monitor and communicate traffic conditions to the motorists. Illinois State Police (ISP) will be adding extra patrols to the area to enforce work zone speed limits and respond to any incidents. Drivers are urged to pay close attention to flaggers and signs in the work zones, obey the posted speed limits, and be on the alert for workers and equipment.

For more information on the project, visit: http://www.transitchicago.com/95thTerminal/.